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### Local and Personal

Mrs. Andrew Liddell and son James left Tuesday for Dowagiac, Mich., to make an extended visit with relatives and friends.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thompson, residing on West Third street, fell Saturday afternoon and broke his collar bone.

Peter B. Muir, father of Mrs. J. D. Cox will return in a day or two from a two months' visit at his old home in New York state.

Mrs. P. G. Gilman leaves next week for a visit with Rev. and Mrs. Chapman at Butte, Mont., and with her daughter at VanCouver, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Redman leave July 15th for Los Angeles where they will visit their son Clarence for a couple of weeks. Enroute home they will attend the Elks' convention in Denver.

A special meeting of the Elks will be held next Monday evening for the purpose of initiating several candidates. Following this ceremony refreshments suitable to summer weather will be served.

Mrs. Phelps and daughter of Lexington, were visiting friends in the city for a few days the first of the week. From here they went to their ranch north of the city to look after business matters.

Miss Prettyman arrived this week from Burlington, Iowa, where she went some time ago with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Prettyman. She was formerly a nurse in the P. & S. hospital here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards and family will leave this evening by automobile for Pleasant View, Mo., where they will make an extended visit with Mr. Edwards' sister. They expect to arrive in Pleasant View the first of next week.

Miss Elsie Ackerman, of the North Platte School of music expects to leave the last of this week for Lincoln to visit her parents for some time. A farewell picnic was given in honor of her Wednesday evening in the canyon south of town.

J. G. Mothershead, of Gering, a former young North Platte barrister, visited friends in town this week. Jimmy says the Gering people are treating him nicely, especially the young ladies and life is therefore one long sweet dream.

Jay Bruce, representative of the Standard Oil Company in this city, expects to leave soon for Sutherland where he will make his headquarters. He will take the oil route on a commission basis and it will be a much better position.

Rev. E. A. Cram, pastor of the Methodist church, was in Brady Wednesday where he officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Bergstrom, who died Sunday in this city. The funeral was well attended, and the floral tributes were profuse and beautiful. Interment was in the Brady cemetery.

The Hat Shop closes July 3rd to August 15th. Investigate our prices.

The mail delivery to Myrtle postoffice will be discontinued after this week, according to instructions received by Postmaster E. S. Davis. The reason for discontinuing the service is not known. It will make it very inconvenient for the residents of that vicinity as they will have to come either to North Platte or some of the other towns for their mail.

Dr. W. F. Crook completed the rearranging of his office suite in the McDonald bank building this week. He now has a nice suite of rooms fitted up in good style. Both the reception room and the work room were thoroughly renovated and were painted and papered. In the reception room he has his office and in the other room he has his chair and laboratory.

The board of county commissioners have been sitting this week as a board of equalization to hear complaints on taxes and to adjust the tax assessments, either lower or higher as they saw fit. One man appeared before them complaining that part of his land had been washed away by the river according to the survey of the county surveyor and he asked that his taxes be readjusted. He had spent about fifteen dollars of the county's time and upon figuring up the difference in the taxation it was found that it would amount to about seven cents per year.

### RAILROAD NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Robert Gantt has accepted a position in the Union Pacific yards for the summer.

The traveling passenger agent for the Erie Lines was in the city Wednesday looking after business for that company.

Engineer Thomas Orton of this city, went to Greeley, Colo., Tuesday to visit friends and to look after some business matters.

General Manager Ware is expected to arrive today or tomorrow and will devote a short time to looking after company business at this terminal.

An average of 4,000 cars per month are repaired at the local car shop. These repairs range from replacing a single nut or bolt on a car to replacing a set of wheels, brake-beam or drawhead. About three-fourths of the cars repaired belong to roads other than the Union Pacific.

Car Foreman McEvoy announces that two more men were put to work on his gang this week. The car repair gang will be quite busy for some time now getting the cars ready for the grain shipment. Two men were sent out this week to inspect all freight cars between this place and Cheyenne and order all cars that need repairing into the shops.

### Yeomen Leave in Special Car

About twenty-five members of the Yeomen lodge left yesterday morning in a special car for Des Moines, Ia., to attend the opening of the Yeomen temple at that place and the drill contest. Eighteen of the people are in the drill team and several others went along to attend the meeting. The car was decorated with pennants and banners and large banners were fastened on either side of the car.

Mr. and Mrs. Max McGrew and family expect to leave in a short time for Lewiston, Ida., to make an extended visit with friends.

A girl was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calhoun, residing at 606 East Sixth street.

Wanted—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. Clarence Tollefsen, Sutherland, Nebr.

John Davis, of the Davis garage, has been attending a meeting of the agents for the Buick car, at the factory at Flint, Mich., this week.

Sheriff A. J. Salisbury and J. E. Sebastian left yesterday for Chappell to spend a short time on business. They expect to return home today.

Rev. J. C. Christie, of the Presbyterian church gave a nice address Wednesday morning at the high school building to the Junior Normal students.

Thirteen couples of young people, with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Munger as chaperones, enjoyed a picnic at Sioux Lookout Wednesday evening.

For Sale—Blacksmith's forge blower good as new, cheap. J. H. VanCleave.

Dr. D. T. Quigley is expected home the latter part of the week from Philadelphia where he went to attend a meeting of the physicians and surgeons of the country.

Special sale on Ladies' Skirts at E. T. Tramp & Son's; \$7.50 and \$10.00 values selling for \$1.98 during this Loom End Sale.

Miss Bertha Thoelecks of Omaha arrived in the city Tuesday evening for a visit with friends and relatives. She is enroute to her homestead in the forest reserve which she drew in the land drawing.

A fine assortment of trimmed hats on sale Saturday, June 27th, \$1, \$2 and \$3. Take advantage of these prices before store closes.

### THE HAT SHOP.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sult is taking treatment for infantile paralysis in the city. Mr. Sult moved his family into town from north of the city that the little girl might get medical attention.

Fred Tobis of this city is reported quite sick, as the result of a dog bite. He was bitten by a dog about two weeks ago but paid little attention to the wound. It became infected and he is suffering considerably from it.

Dr. Mitchell, Dentist, announces the removal of his office to the second floor of the new Building and Loan Building. 43-3.

Fred R. Ginn came down from Denver yesterday and will remain in town for a short time. He sold out his hotel in Denver the early part of this week, and expects to devote his time in the future to developing oil lands he is interested in near Moorecroft, Wyo.

James Diener, who accompanied the Yeomen on their trip to Des Moines will go from there to Philadelphia, where he will claim an estate that was left to him several years ago by his mother. The estate has been in trust there for him for several years and amounts to several thousand dollars.

Lost—A K. K. frat pin set with emeralds and pearls at the band concert. Return to this office and receive reward.

Mrs. Walter Votaw left Wednesday for California to visit relatives. She is suffering from tuberculosis and her condition is considered quite serious. She and Mr. Votaw moved into this city only recently from the Wellfleet vicinity and Mr. Votaw is now farming in that vicinity. He has taken her all around the country in an effort to find a climate in which she would regain her health.

Only six more days of the roaring Loom End Sale at E. T. Tramp & Son's. This sale has even passed our fondest expectations. People must realize that there is certainly "something doing" at the store on Front street. If we had a larger banner in front, people might think that there was a circus in town. Think of it! Saturday we are offering 10c and 12c curtain scrim at 5c. This is a special for Saturday only.

### Notice

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the North Platte Cemetery association will be held in the basement of the Library building, in the city of North Platte, at eight o'clock p. m., July 1st, 1914. Every person who has a lot in said cemetery is a member of the association and it is desired that every one come and take such action as will be for the betterment of our cemetery. T. C. Patterson, Pres. W. H. McDonald, Treas. Geo. E. French, Sec'y.

## A Graduate's Story

By EUNICE BLAKE

"This coeducation of the sexes is turning out just as I predicted," said Edmond Chase, a middle aged gentleman with a family of sons and daughters growing up about him.

"Cases of impropriety are not of frequent occurrence," replied his friend Hiscox. "I don't know that I ever heard of one."

"No, it's not that. Young persons are naturally good—many of them much better than when they grow older. It's the imp of mischief that is in them at that time of their lives."

"How do you know so much about it?"

"How do I know it? Why, man, I've been to college. I didn't go to a coed institution. My alma mater was for men alone, but there was a girls' college not ten miles away. We were thinking so much about how to worry the faculty of that institution that we had little time for study. I went to college at sixteen, and in all the Greek dramas and such learned performances I was invariably selected for a girl's part. My chum, Billy Fitzgerald, was another fellow cast for feminine parts, and, when dressed to go on, no one could ever tell us for boys with a magnifying glass and a searchlight. What with rehearsing and playing our parts before audiences we learned to act the girl perfectly, even to disguising our voices."

"At Jones college—ours was Green; I'm a Green man, you know—they have an astronomical observatory. One night in the week the class in astronomy visited the observatory for a look at the heavenly bodies. It occurred to me that it would be a good scheme to dress as a girl and go in with the crowd. I had a cousin in Jones, and when she came to the term in which she could take astronomy as an elective I persuaded her to choose that study. So, you see, what Madge knows about the stars is due to my wish to play my prank. Good reason, wasn't it?"

"I took Billy into the scheme with me, and one day Madge told the professor of astronomy that she was expecting her sister for a few days and would like to have her look through the telescope when the class visited the observatory. The professor gave the desired permission, and it happened—just happened, you know—that another girl of the class, Lou Tidale, had a sister come to visit her at the same time, and she, too, asked and was granted permission for her sister to see the stars."

"When the night came round Tom Rawlins got wind of what we were going to do and declared that if we didn't take him in he would give the whole thing away. Tom was halfback on the football team and no more fitted to personate a woman than a gazelle. We tried to dissuade him, but it was no use. He got himself up as best he could, and Billy and I put a few feminine touches on him to help him out. We three fellows went to the observatory on the night in question—it happened to be clear—and all walked in with the crowd."

"There was a little telescope screwed on to the big one, called a finder. It had a big field of view so as to find the object wanted. One of the senior class who was making a specialty of astronomy had charge of the instrument, and when it came my turn she looked through the finder while I put my eye to the big tube. I was so interested at the proximity of her cheek that I didn't see any stars. But I controlled myself, and when Billy went up to have a look he did the same."

"If Tom had behaved himself and kept his mouth shut we would have all got out scot free and no harm done. What did he do when his turn came to look but blurt out in that confounded gruff voice of his:

"I want to see Venus?"

"There was a babel of feminine voices at the time, but Tom's sonorous request sounded like a blow on a bass drum. There was no more doubt that the speaker was a man than that the earth was turning on its axis. Billy and I were, of course, scared to death, and if we had had Tom where we could have beaten the life out of him. But we got even with him, for when the professor asked him who he was and what he was doing there in disguise I set up a singing shout: 'The villain! How dare he!' which Billy followed up with, 'Gibbs, let's put him out!'"

"The students didn't know that Tom was ejected by two men. They could not have done it themselves, nor could we if, when he showed light, I hadn't whispered in his ear. 'You get out of here mighty quick or you'll be a cut man tomorrow!' My voice called him to his senses, and he suffered us to hustle him out without resistance. Then Billy and I went up to the professor and said we were deeply grieved that the incident had happened while we were being kindly favored by the university and sincerely hoped that it would not interfere with further favors to strangers."

"The matter made a big stir in Jones college, but since Tom's identity was known only to Billy and me and we didn't tell he was never found out."

"No; I'm not in favor of the coeducation of the sexes or even in educating them continuously."

"What college did you say yours was?" asked Mr. Hiscox.

"Green. I was a Green boy."

"Oh!"

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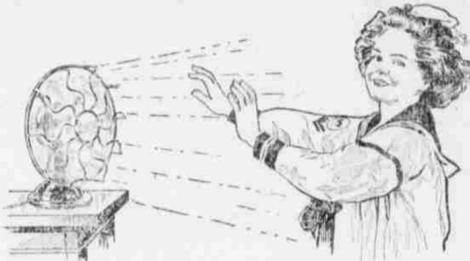


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